	2	3	4
द्विभाषी	68	458	1064
बहुभाषी	21	85	243
अन्य	48	75	104
कुल:	3606	10646	10379

Modifying the advertisement code for Doordarshan

932. SHRI PRAMOD MAHAJAN: Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that Govern-ment propose to modify the advertisement code for Doordarshan; and

(b) if so, what are the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING (SHRI K.P. SINGH DEO): (a) and (b) Review of Code covering advertising on Doordarshan is an ongoing process.

CBI Inquiry into irregularities in the selection of serials

933. SHRI SOM PAL: Will the Minis ter of INFORMATION AND BROAD CASTING be pleased to state:

'(a) whether it is a fact that the CBI was enquiring into complaints of serious irregularities in the matter of selection of serials by the Doordarshan;

(b) whether the CBI has completed the enquiry; and

(c) if so, what are the findings thereof and what action has been recommended and taken thereon?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING (SHRI K.P. SINGH DEO): (a) and (b) Yes, Sir.

(c) All Doordarshan Officials have been exonerated by the CBI. The recommendations of the CBI have been accepted by the Government.

दूरदर्शन के कलाकारों के चयन में अनियमितताएं

934. श्री राम नरेश यादव: क्या सूचना और प्रसारण मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि:

(क) क्या सरकार को इस तथ्य की जानकारी है कि दूरदर्शन निदेशालय के अधिकारियों द्वारा प्रशिक्षित प्रतिभाशाली कलाकारों के चयन में कतिपय अनियमितताएं बरती जा रही हैं;

(ख) यदि हां, तो इसकी ब्यौरा क्या है;

(ग) हैदराबाद और दिल्ली केन्द्रों में तैनात कितने निदेशकों ने अपने परिवारजनों के नाम से कंपनियां खोल रखी हैं, और उनका ब्यौरा क्या है; और

(घ) दूरदर्शन की निष्पक्षता बनाये रखने के लिए इस तरह की अनियमितताओं और भ्रष्टाचार को रोकने के लिए सरकार क्या कदम उठा रही है?

सूचना और प्रसारण मंत्रालय के राज्य मंत्री (श्री के.पी. सिंह देव): (क) विगत में दूरदर्शन महानिदेशालय के नोटिस में ऐसा कोई मामला नहीं आया है।

(ख) प्रश्न नहीं उठता

(ग) हैदराबाद में दूरदर्शन केन्द्र, हैदराबाद के सेवा-निवृत्त निदेशक द्वारा एक कंपनी चलाए जाने का एक मामला तथा दूरदर्शन केन्द्र, हैदराबाद के वर्तमान निदेशक के पुत्र जो कि भारतीय फिल्म एवं टेलीविजन संस्थान के स्नातक हैं, द्वारा दिल्ली में एक कंपनी चलाए जाने का एक अन्य मामला दूरदर्शन महानिदेशालय के नोटिस में आया है।

(घ) ऐसे सभी मामलों की विभागीय रूप से अथवा केन्द्रीय जांच ब्यूरो द्वारा जांच कराई जाती है तथा दोषी पाए गए व्यक्तियों के खिलाफ सरकार के अनुशासन तथा अपील नियमों के अनुसार कार्रवाई की जाती है।'

Banning the advertisements of some products on Doordarshan

935. SHRI V. HANUMANTHA RAO: Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have banned advertising of some products on Doordar-shan;

(b)| if so. the reasons therefor;

(c) whether Government propose to' review this decision in view of the non-existence of any such ban on various foreign TV channels; and

(d) the steps being taken to review this matter?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING (SHRI K.P. SINGH DEO): (a) and (b) Yes, Sir. Advertisements on certain products like cigarette/ tobacco, liquor etc. are banned on Doordarshan, keeping in view the social responsibility of the medium.

(c) and (d) The review of advertisement code of Doordarshan from time to time is an on going activity.

Starting new TV channels in the country

936, SHRI IQBAL SINGH: Will the Minis'?: of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state

(a) whether Government have decided to start 21 channels for TV viewers in the country from August, 1994;

(b) if so, the details in this regard;

(c) whether the Union Government have sanctioned Rs. 700 crores for Doordarshan and Rs. 318 crores for the All India Radio for expansion of their network; and

(d) if so, the details in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING (SHRI K.P. SINGH DEO): (a) and (b) No Sir.

(c) and (d) Yes, Sir. For expansion of their network all over the country, All India Radio has 131 schemes under implementation/envisaged at an estimated capital cost of Rs. 117 crores (approx.) and Doordarshan has 358 projects under implementation / envisaged at an estimated capital cost of Rs. 719 crores (approx.).

Proposals for new serials

937. SHRI IQBAL SINGH: Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to stale:

(a) whether Government have invited proposals for new serials in various categories such as social themes, family serials, serials of children's interest, science serials, etc. for establishing communal harmony among the masses of the country;

(b) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor;

(c) the number of T.V. serials and documentaries prepared and submitted by private producers for communal harmony among the masses of the country during the years 1992 and 1993;

(d) the number of proposals for telecast of new programmes through Doordarshan received during this period; and

(e) the details thereof in this respect?

THE MINUTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING (SHRI K.P. SINGH DEO): (a) to (e) Receipts of proposals for new serials and documentaries on different themes and subjects and their examination is an ongoing process. Proposals are received and processed by various Doordarshan Kendras and also by the Directorate of Doordarshan The information relating to receipt, approval and telecast of such proposals is not kept centrally in a compiled form.

Doordarshan studio at Pune

938. SHRI SURESH KALMADI Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the foundation for the Doordarshan Studio at Pune has since been laid; and

(b) if so, when the same is likely to be completed and put into operation?